

COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)

Docket No.
110/02239

In Re Application Of: **Oren GLOBERMAN et al.**

Serial No.
09/890,172

Filing Date
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Invention: **EXPANDABLE INTERVERTEBRAL SPACER**

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of August 28, 2003 In the above-identified application.
Date

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month ☒ Two months ☐ Three months ☐ Four months ☐ Five months

from: November 28, 2003 until: January 28, 2004
Date *Date*

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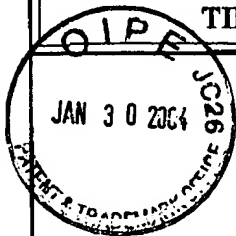
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(2) Combined Amendment & Petition For Extension of Time (3 pages);
(3) Amendment (22 pages); (4) Acknowledgement Postcard.

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